

ADVOCATE PUBLISHING COMPANY.

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ANNOUNCEMENTS.

For Railroad Commissioner.

We are authorized to announce John C. Wood as a candidate for Railroad Commissioner, for the Eastern District of Kentucky, subject to the action of the Republican party.

The same old issues that have so often handicapped the people in their selection of first-class State officials is being injected into the present campaign. Politicians are again insisting that the paramount issues in the coming campaign are the national ones. Time and again the people have been asked to make the selection of a candidate for Governor, Auditor, Attorney General, etc., dependent upon his views on silver, the tariff, etc. Our State officials have about as much to do in shaping national legislation as the one proverbial swallow has in making a summer. We want men to fill our State offices who are honest, capable and efficient, and we have no need to care a fig what their views are on the silver question, or for that matter any other national issue, as long as they are sound Democrats. We want the affairs of this Commonwealth honestly, zealously and intelligently looked after, and in order to do this we must select honest, zealous and intelligent men, whether they be for or against the free coinage of silver, or for or against stealing Queen Lil's late dominions. We must have men who will think at least as much of administering the affairs of their offices efficiently, as they do of drawing the salaries attached thereto.

Again the Administration has been downed by Congress in its efforts to pass a Currency Bill. Three several times has its measures looking to this end, met with signal defeat. Speaking of the defeat of the Bond Measure the past week, the Louisville Times says:

For the third consecutive time Congress has refused by decisive majorities to so much as order to their third reading bills and resolutions authorizing a distinctively "gold" bond. Though it was contended that the bond purchase resolution did not involve the establishment of a policy, but would apply simply to a single transaction of the Government and save the taxpayers more than \$16,900,000 in interest, it was yesterday rejected in the House by a vote of 167 to 120. All the bonds heretofore issued by the Government are payable in "coin," and the sentiment in both branches of Congress, if not in the entire country, is plainly and decidedly against an issue specifically payable in a particular kind of coin. It is hard for the Administration to kick against the pricks, and hardly probable that it will longer persevere in kicking.

Germany has thrown a bomb into the camp of the Monometallists by declaring in favor of a return to a bimetallic standard. In the Reichstag Saturday a resolution was adopted asking for another Monetary Congress looking to the rehabilitation of silver as a circulating medium.

Previous to its adoption Count Von Posadowsky-Wegner, Secretary of State for the Imperial Treasury, on behalf of the Government, declared its sympathy with the object aimed at by the resolution. The motion which was submitted to the Reichstag by Mirlach had received the signatures of the unusually large number of 210 members of that body, comprising Conservatives, National Liberals, Ultramontains and members of other parties. Among the signers were to be found not only the names of professed bimetallics, but other members who have heretofore occupied a more or less neutral attitude on the question of bimetallicism.

Gov. Matthews, of Indiana, denies that he has been offered the Mexican mission, or that he is an applicant for it.

The Japanese Government has placed contracts for two battleships, larger than any in the United States navy.

Senator Newsum has resigned from the Tennessee Legislature because of his extravagance.

The editor of the Gazette devotes a column and better in its issue of the 15th, on the question of electric lighting, water works and an electric railway, in which he expresses an opinion as to what seems to be the situation. He has not the facts in hand nor does he claim to have, and yet he spins out an article of length, which is more fancy than anything else, and in the interest of a foreigner as against home men, who have and are now spending their money in order to give to the city water works, and at the same time make something for themselves. The Council thoroughly understand the the Mt. Sterling Water Works Company; they have a committee which is in possession of all the facts and are working harmoniously with them, and when the firm which is able to build the works comes before the committee and Water Works Company with a reasonable business proposition, there will be no trouble as to a deal. The editor of the Gazette, if he wants to give the people of Mt. Sterling an article to enlighten them, can get all the facts either from that Committee or members of the Mt. Sterling Water Works Company.

This we will say to the citizens of Mt. Sterling. They will have Water Works; a first-class system, and if those who have lost money by the former contractors can be protected it will be done. The Mt. Sterling Water Works Company is composed of men who pay taxes for the maintenance of the city. They have favored every proposition which has been for the people's interest, by giving both their time and money, and if there is anything to be made out of this enterprise they certainly should be the ones to be profited.

The Southern Magazine.

The Southern Magazine, under its new management, is before the people on its merits. It is not necessary for this periodical to appeal to the Southern people for their support, simply because it is the Southern Magazine. It stands on its own merits and asks patronage because it is worthy of all that comes to it. That the large January edition was exhausted long before the February number could be made ready, and that the publishers were compelled to begin many subscriptions that came in last month with the February issue looks very much as if this splendid monthly is to promptly meet with the success it merits. The Southern is distinctly first-class in everything that goes to make up a magazine of the first class.

It is sold by all news dealers or can be had of the publishers, Louisville, Ky., at \$1.50 per year.

Ex-Gov. Knott's Letter.

A genuine friend of Proctor Knott, of Kentucky, would have destroyed that abominable letter that Congressman Hatch, of Missouri, read in the House yesterday immediately after reading it. A friendly Speaker would have called the member to order before he had finished it.—New York Commercial Advertiser.

Proctor Knott fears a bloody revolution will convulse this country within ten years. The gentleman of "unsalted sea" fame must aspire to George Francis Train reputation.—Pittsburg Post.

Who Said We Were Busted?

Uncle Sam's strong-box is still far from being empty. In reply to a Senate inquiry Secretary Carlisle shows that on January 1, 1895, there was in the Treasury an unexpended balance of \$55,955,039, and Mr. Wilson, Chairman of the Ways and Means Committee, declares that "there is to-day an available cash balance in the Treasury of \$165,000,000, larger by \$60,000,000 than it was on June 30, 1892."—Louisville Times.

Mr. Charles F. Jones, one of the best advertising men in the State, who has had charge of the advertising department of the New York Store and Levi Bros., of Louisville, will sever his connections with these establishments to become advertising manager of A. M. Rothchild & Co., of Chicago, who will at an early date open one of the largest department stores in that city. Mr. Jones is thoroughly posted in his business and our business relations with him have in deed been very pleasant, and he has our best wishes, though we regret to know that he will leave the State.

The grand jury reported the furnace of the jail unsafe and Monday the County Court ordered the heat turned off the Court House until repairs could be made.

IVORY SOAP



BEST FOR SHIRTS.

THE PROCTOR & GAMBLE CO., CHICAGO.

Christian Endeavor Notes.

There are 246 Societies of Christian Endeavor in the State, 253 Seniors and 41 Junior Societies. These distributed among all the evangelical denominations: The Christians have 63, the Presbyterians 63, the Cumberland Presbyterians 30, the Methodists 7, the Congregationalists 6, the Lutherans 5, the German Evangelical 3, the Baptists 2 and the Episcopalians 1.

The Louisville Union is soon to start a paper, devoted to Christian Endeavor work. Why not make it a State paper?

The programme of the coming State Convention is almost completed. Dr. Wayland Hoyt, a prominent Baptist minister, of Minneapolis, and an enthusiastic Endeavorer, has accepted a place on it, and will deliver an address. It is worth a good deal to hear Dr. Hoyt.

The work among the Juniors will be presented by Miss Kate Hands, the earnest Junior worker of St. Louis.

The Licking Valley Union keeps alive the interest of the societies composing it by holding regular monthly mass-meetings. "Christian Fellowship" was the topic under discussion at the last meeting, which was held Tuesday evening, January 15, at Covington.

There is a movement on foot in the Mayfield Presbytery to organize the societies in that Presbytery into a Presbyterian Union. This is a step in the right direction and one that might well be followed by all denominations in the State.

The Literary Digest has this to say about the Christian Endeavor Year Book:

"The first attempt ever made to write a complete review of the various Christian Endeavor fields of work has been made in this year's Christian Endeavor Year Book. The different committees, the various missionary enterprises, the special branches of the Society, the Union work, the growth in foreign lands—these and many other 'Christian Endeavorers' are pictured. Every Endeavorer should possess a copy of the pamphlet, and it costs but 10 cents."

The Bath County Trotting Association will hold its next meeting Aug. 6th, 7th, 8th and 9th.

We want to say in behalf of the Association that they have always made it a point to improve each meeting, and in these efforts they have succeeded beyond the most sanguine expectations. The coming season has the most favorable prospects, and with the gentlemen who are its motor power there is nothing to expect but success.

Free Lecture

By Col. Thomas Turner on Sciences of Government and Law was postponed from last Tuesday evening until this evening at 8:30 o'clock at the Court-house. Everybody invited.

Beautiful, gold engraved invitations are out announcing the golden wedding of Mr. and Mrs. Robert Coleman Nunnally at their home in Georgetown, on Wednesday, the twentieth of February.

They are the parents of our friend, W. R. Nunnally, of this city. May they live in union many more years and continue to be the joy of their friends and loved ones.

Lost Hog.

Black Chester Boar with a little white. Any information concerning him will be thankfully received.

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PUBLIC SALE OF LAND!

As Executor of Wm. Stofer, I Will Sell on

SATURDAY, MARCH 2ND, 1895.

His two farms, one of which is situated on Grassy Lick, adjoining the lands of J. D. Gay, J. H. Mason and others and containing about 218 acres. The other farm is situated on the Mt. Sterling and Winchester turnpike, opposite the tollgate, next to Mt. Sterling and containing about 66 acres.

The first named farm is susceptible of division into three tracts: One of 110; one of 90, and one of 18 acres, and will be so sold if desired. On this farm there is fully 100 acres of good tobacco ground and a new tobacco barn, besides dwelling and all other improvements, and is well watered.

The 66 acre farm has a tenant house and large tobacco barn, and is very desirable on account of its location.

The Grassy Lick farm will be sold at 10 o'clock a. m. on the premises, and the other farm at 2 o'clock p. m., on the same day, on the premises.

Terms easy and made known on day of sale.

SILAS STOFER,
Executor of Wm. STOFER.

PUBLIC SALE OF LAND.

I will offer at public sale
SATURDAY, FEBRUARY 23, 1895.

On the premises, 4 1/2 miles west of Mt. Sterling, Ky., on the Grassy Lick pike, and near Grassy Lick church and convenient to school, my farm known as the S. P. Hunt (Patton) place, containing 119 acres and some poles. This farm is situated on a good turnpike road and in a good neighborhood. Has on it a good dwelling and a No. 1 tobacco barn, and is well watered and in a high state of cultivation. Good young orchard and all things necessary to make it a most desirable home. Parties wishing to purchase are invited to call and examine the farm, as it must be seen to be appreciated. Messrs. R. J. or John D. Hunt will take pleasure in showing persons over the premises. If this farm fails to sell, it will be rented on the above date. Possession given on March 1, 1895. Sale to begin promptly at 10 a. m.

TERMS—One-third cash when possession is given; balance due in one and two years, with six per cent. interest per annum from date of possession, with lien retained for payment of same.

My sale at K. U. Junction, Clark county, will be on Thursday, the 21st, and will consist of stock, crop and farming implements.

W. D. STRODE.

W. H. FLETCHER, AUC.

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We have a first-class corn mill in operation at our Plaining Mill and will do custom grinding on Saturday of each week. Will have meal on hand to exchange at all times.

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